

YOU NEED ANY HELP?

Contact the Cathedral Office for all necessary information and the Office will direct you to the appropriate persons to help. Below are the Contact Persons.

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- B. **For Social Welfare and Charity**
The Dean; The Rev. Dr. S. Opaaje; Chief (Mrs.) Grace Odukumaiya
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The Dean; The Society Chaplains; Presidents & Secretaries of Societies
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The Dean; The Rev. Yinka Akinpeju; Mr. Cyril Mgbamoka
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- F. **For Cathedral Missionary Society**
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Our Vision:

"CHRIST FOR ALL NATIONS"

Our 2022 Theme:

"DRY BONES SHALL RISE AGAIN" Ezekiel 37:3.

IN GOD'S PRESENCE, THERE IS FULNESS OF JOY AND AT HIS RIGHT HAND, PLEASURES FOR EVERMORE. A GOOD INDICATOR OF SPIRITUAL GROWTH IS EAGERNESS TO BE IN GOD'S HOUSE FOR WORSHIP AND FELLOWSHIP. WELCOME TO HIS PRESENCE.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday, 28th Aug. - Saturday, 3rd Sept., 2022

TRINITY XI

THEME: WE ARE CHRIST'S AMBASSADORS
SUB-THEME CONNECTED

Colour: GREEN

Dr. Dayo Omogbehin
Cathedral Warden

Mr. Charles Ojo
Cathedral Warden

The Ven. Ebenezer Adewole
Dean of the Cathedral

The Rt. Rev. Dr. James O. Odedeji
The Bishop, Diocese of Lagos West

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Support God's Mission through the Covenant Seed
Be A Diocesan Covenant Seeder

1. SERVICES FOR SUNDAY – 28th August, 2022

A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi
The Epistle: Ozigbo Chidinma
The Gospel: The Rev. Yinka Akinpelu
Preacher: Amara Nzegwu
Intercessor: Ronke Jibowu

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 179 (II)
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence – **The Rev. Dr. S. Opaaje**
- ❖ The Epistle: II Corinthians 5:14-6:2
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 189
- ❖ The Gospel: John 17:20-26
- ❖ **SERMON**
- ❖ Nicene Creed & Intercession
- ❖ The Peace (*Let there be peace*)
- ❖ All Offerings: Choruses
- {First Fruit, Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed, Sunday Offering & All other offerings}*
- ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
- ❖ The Administration: Special Number/Worship Songs by the Cathedral Youth
- ❖ The Ablution: CONH 192
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ **Thanksgiving**
 - i. Harvest Thanksgiving
 - a. End of the month thanksgiving - Envelopes
 - b. Clergy Harvest: **Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin & Family.**
 - c. Chairperson, Distinguished Guests & Special Guests
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 - Lord's Favour– (April – June)**
 - Triumphant– (July – September)**
 - Faith - (October – December)**
 - e. The Congregation
 - f. Family Harvest
 - ii. Churching of Mrs Chiamaka Duru for the gift of a baby girl and God's numerous blessing.
 - iii. Mr Obi Azuru & family thanking God for successful graduation of their daughter, birthdays of Mr Obi Azuru, Mrs Azuru, Christine Azuru & numerous blessings
 - iv. Barr. Fred Nzeako & family thanking God for Call to Bar of their son (Tobenna), successful graduation of their son (Kenechukwu) and numerous blessings.
 - v. 50th Year Wedding Anniversary Thanksgiving of Sir. Pharm & Chief Mrs Deji Osinoiki & God's numerous blessings.
- ❖ For Doxology.....(*pg 11*)
- ❖ Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 35

WE WELCOME ALL OUR FIRST TIMERS IN JESUS NAME. WE REQUEST THAT YOU PLEASE MOVE TO THE LADY'S CHAPEL AFTER THE SERVICE WHERE OUR EVANGELICAL TEAM IS WAITING TO ATTEND TO YOU. REMAIN BLESSED AND RAPTURABLE.

AVMCC DEVELOPMENT FUND ACCOUNT

Account Name: AVMCC Development Fund
Account Number: 1021733207
Sort Code: 033154512
Branch Address, UBA Plc, 51A Adeniyi Jones Street, Ikeja

21. REVISITING AND RESUSCITATING HOME FELLOWSHIP CENTRES IN AVMCC

The AVMCC House Fellowship Project has finally taken off! Parishioners are encouraged to attend House Fellowship in their nearest Centers. Those whose locations have changed should please contact Mrs. Charity Nnebedum for corrections. The following are the existing House Fellowship Centres:

AREA	COORDINATOR	MEETING DAYS & TIME	PHONE NUMBER	ADDRESS
Opebi	Bro. I.O. Odeniran	Every Thursday @ 6pm	08023096565	11a Samuel Awoniyi St. Opebi
Magodo	Sis. Funmi Akinbobola	Every Sunday @ 6pm	08033083851	7 Akinola Erinoluwa St. Magodo Phase 2.
Oyemekun/ Adeyeri/ College Rd, Ogba	Bro. Ndubisi Odebeatu	Every Sunday @ 6pm	08037297743	19, Ilerioluwa Crescent off Adeyeri St, College Rd. Ogba
Ajao Estate	Sis. Ebele Okere	Every Sunday @ 6pm	08026609443	29 Fatai Irawo Street, Off Murtala Mohammed Int Airport Rd, Ajao Estate

For enquiries, please call or Whatsapp: 070632214646 or 08033025458.

22. AVMCC BANK ACCOUNTS DETAILS

BANK	ACCOUNT NUMBER	SORT CODE	PURPOSE
ACCESS	0017948337	044151245	Building Fund Evangelical Fund
WEMA	0120970667	035150695	Offering & Thanksgiving
FIRST	2025018178	011151841	Harvest (kindly signify the purpose e.g. Family harvest, Youth Harvest etc.)
FIRST	2001350641	011151841	Project Support
STANBIC	9200212515		
IBTC		221150027	First Fruits
GTB	0007899440	058152120	Tithes
ECO	0953002198		Building Fund
ZENITH	1011097083	057150314	Covenant Seed
WEMA	0122245798	035150695	Endowment Fund

For the New Cathedral Development Account details please refer to page 2 of this bulletin.

23. INVITATION TO SOCIETIES /MINISTRIES' REPRESENTATIVES:

EVANGELICAL OUTREACH"

The Evangelical Ministry of AVMCC invites Parishioners to be part of the forthcoming Evangelical Outreach coming up 19th to 21st August 2022 at Saint Peters Anglican Church Isiwu. 6, Aiyeghami St. Isiwu garage Ikorodu.

2022 VICTORY/PROPHETIC SHOUT

THE LEADER: DRY BONES
THE CONGREGATION: SHALL RISE AGAIN 3X
TOGETHER: THAT IS THE VERDICT OF GOD FOR US IN 2022 AND NO POWER CAN STOP IT. AMEN, AMEN AND AMEN.

HARVEST NEWS

A. Family Harvest for today- Sunday 28th Aug., 2022

7.00am: Dr Dayo Omogbehin & Family, Mr Obi Azuru & Family, Barr. Fred Nzeako & Family, Sir Pharm. Deji Osinoiki & Family, Otunba Adesegun Egorp & Family, Mr Raymond Agu & Family, Mr Nwabufo Osigwe & Family, Mr Toba Oyebanji & Family, Mr Chukwukelu Chigbogu & Family, Mrs Ifeoma Ekwegh & Family, Mr James Ononiwu & Family, Mr Christian Obianagha & Family.

10.00am: Mrs Ngozi Ogbolu & Family, Mr Olu Obisesan & Family, Mr Augustine Ibenegbu & Family, Engr. Adekola Adedeji & Family, Mr Theophilus Iwuji & Family, Mrs Caroline Sodeinde & Family.

B. Family Harvest for next - Sunday 4th Sept. 2022

7.00am: Mr Ayileye & Family, Mr Uche Chine & Family, Mr Emeka Nwankwo & Family, Engr. Chuks Nwofor & Family.

10.00am:Dr. (Mrs) Irene Omogbehin & Family, Mrs Grace Oyefuga & Family, Mr Durojaiye Olatunji & Family, Prof. Olufemi Peters & Family,

C. Society Harvest for - Sunday 11th Sept., 2022

10.00am: Anglican Fellowship, Band of Grace & Christian Morning Star Society

D. Corporate Harvest for - Sunday 11th Sept. 2022

7.00am & 10.0am: Corporate & Professional

E. Alphabet Harvest for next - Sunday 18th Sept. 2022

7.00am & 10.0am: Final - Alphabet W,X,Y,Z

2022 Harvest activities are as stated below.

- a. Alphabet Harvest /Clergy/Family/Society- June – Nov.
- b. Corporate & Professional - 11th Sept, 2022
- c. National Harvest - 25th Sept. 2022
- d. All Ministries Harvest - 9th Oct. 2022
- e. All Women's Harvest - 16th Oct. 2022
- f. Senior Citizen Harvest - 23rd Oct. 2022
- g. Adult Harvest - 30th Oct. 2022
- h. Church Leaders Harvest - 6th Nov. 2022
- i. Diaspora Harvest - 13th Nov. 2022
- j. Landmark Harvest - 20th Nov. 2022
- k. Bishop's Harvest - 27th Nov. 2022
- l. Family Thanksgiving - 4th – 18th Dec. 2022
- m. Harvest Flag Handover - 8th Jan. 2023

E-VOTING DRY RUN PRESENTATION: President and Secretary E-voting dry run presentation comes up on Sunday, 4th September, 2022 after 10.00am Service.

B. 10.00am MATTINS YOUTH HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Cantor: Chinwe Chidi
O.T. Reading: Victor Adebayo
N.T. Reading: Delight Ebonugwu
Preacher: Yetunde Egbedeyi
Intercessor: Steve Ahua

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 4
- ❖ Call to Worship
- ❖ Psalm 119:113-128 (*To be Chanted*)
- ❖ O.T. Reading: 2 Cor. 5:14-6:2
- ❖ Hymn: Te Deum – Worship book (pg 35)
- ❖ N.T. Reading: John 17:20-26
- ❖ Special No by the Youth
- ❖ Apostle's Creed – Collects
- ❖ Hymn: CONH 192
- ❖ **SERMON**
- ❖ Praises, Intercession - Grace
- ❖ The Offerings: Choruses
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- iii. Mr & Mrs Theophilus Iwuji thanking God for their birthdays, wedding anniversary & numerous blessings.
- iv. 10th year birthday thanksgiving of Master Williams Ayomitunde Solaru & God's numerous blessings.
- v. Birthday thanksgiving of Mrs Ibidun Olufunwa, 40th birthday thanksgiving of her son (Mr Olutola Olufunwa) & God's numerous blessings.
- vi. Thanksgiving after the successful wedding of Mr & Mrs Nzube Okafor & God's numerous blessings.
- vii. Thanksgiving after the successful burial of Late Chief Mrs Kemi Nelson & journey mercies.

- ❖ For Doxology.....(*pg 11*)
- ❖ Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 597

C. EVENTS AHEAD

1. **Christian Mothers Prayer Meeting – Monday, 29th August, 2022 at 5.00pm. Venue: Lady Chapel.**
2. **ENTER THE EMBER MONTH PROPHETICALLY.**
3. **EMBER MONTH Prayer Outreach Fourteen Days – 6.00am daily – 29th August, 2022 - 11th September, 2022.**
4. **DLW Choral Competition – Sunday, 4th Sept. 2022 at 4.00pm.**
5. **Intersociety Bible Quiz Competition - Sunday, 11th September, 2022 at 2.00pm.**

6. **Professional Harvest – Sunday, 11th Sept. 2022.**
7. **National Harvest - Sunday, 25th Sept. 2022.**
8. **Intersociety Hymn Singing – Sunday, 2nd October, 2022 at 4.00pm.**
9. **50th Choir Festival – Sunday, 16th October, 2022.**

D. FIRST FRUIT – LEV. 23:10-11; DEUT. 26:1-10

1. Your first salary on a new job.
2. The first profit from a new line of business
3. For those already working, it is the first salary in the year.
4. When promoted to another level, the difference between your former salary and the new one.
5. To the aged with no pension, it is your first allowance from your children.
6. For Landlords and Landladies, the rent for the first month in the year is your first fruit.
7. For students, the poor, the jobless, it is your first gift in the year.

TEST GOD WITH IT, TASTE AND SEE THAT THE LORD IS GOOD – Mal. 3:10, Ps. 34:8

Acct NO - STANBIC IBTC - 9200212515- First Fruits

E. AVMCC SPONSORSHIP OF 2022 EVENSONG BY SOCIETIES

1. Sunday, Aug. 28, 2022 - Youth Harvest
2. Sunday, Sept. 4, 2022 - DLW Choral Competition
3. Sunday, Sept. 11, 2022 - Good Shepherd
4. Sunday, Sept. 18, 2022 - Good Samaritan
5. Sunday, Sept. 25, 2022 - National Harvest
6. Sunday, Oct. 2, 2022 - Intersociety Singing
7. Sunday Oct. 9, 2022 - Ladies Christian Circle
8. Sunday Oct. 16, 2022 - Choir Anniversary
9. Sunday Oct. 23, 2022 - Ladies Christian League

2. SENTENCES FOR TRINITY XI

Introductory Sentence

God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself, and He has entrusted us with the message of reconciliation.

II Corinthians 5:19.

Collects for the Week:

Almighty God, Who called Your Church to witness that You were in Christ reconciling men to Yourself, help us to proclaim the Good News of Your love, that all who hear it may be reconciled to You; through Him who died for us and rose again and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, One God, now, and forever. Amen.

Post Communion Sentence

You are the light of the world, a city set on a hill cannot be hid.
Matthew 5:14.

TOWARDS THE NEW CATHEDRAL

THE COLLECT:

Heavenly Father we acknowledge the fact that without You, we can do nothing, for except You build, those who are building are doing it in vain. Empower us to build to Your glory and honour O Lord. Provide for us unto overflowing and over abundance. Make way where there seems to be none, silence every spirit of Sanballat and Tobiah and fill us with the anointing of Zerubbabel unto a glorious timely and speedy completion for with You there is no abandoned project. All of these and many more mercies and grace we ask for in the mighty name of Jesus Christ our Lord and Saviour. Amen.

- v. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Esther Babalola of Band of Grace Society.
Aged: 86years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Service of Songs: On Wednesday, 14th September, 2022 at her residence by 4.00pm.

Wake-Keep Service: On Thursday, 15th September, 2022 at AVMCC Vining Hall by 4.00pm.

Funeral Service: On Friday, 16th September, 2022 at AVMCC by 10.00am.

- vi. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother, Mrs Olajumoke Elizabeth Ibronke (Mother of Mrs Ranti Adewole). Burial arrangements are as follows.

Wake-Keep Service: On Thursday, 29th September, 2022 at AVMCC Vining Hall at 4.00pm.

Funeral Service: On Friday, 30th September, 2022 at AVMCC, Ikeja by 9.00am.

LIST OF INTERESTED SOCIETIES FOR 2022 BIBLE QUIZ

1. AGAPE CHRISTIAN SISTERS
2. ANGLICAN FELLOWSHIP
3. BAND OF FAITH
4. BAND OF GRACE
5. BAND OF GLORY
6. BAND OF LIGHT
7. BAND OF MERCY
8. BAND OF PEACE
9. BUSY BEES
10. CHARITY BAND
11. CHRISTIAN FAMILY SOCIETY
12. DAUGHTERS OF LIGHT
13. FOUNTAIN OF HOPE
14. GOOD SHEPHERD SOCIETY
15. LORD'S LABOURERS FELLOWSHIP
16. LORD'S VESSEL
17. YOUNG MEN CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION
18. YOUNG WOMEN CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION
19. LIGHT OF THE WORLD
20. APOSTLES OF PEACE

20. AVMCC CHURCH NEEDS

Dear Parishioners,

Be encouraged to pick one or more of the items listed below to mark your birthday, wedding anniversary and other occasions of joy. Do endeavour to get in touch with the WARDENS for specifications or monetization.

- Development of our landed properties
- Painting of the Church and our halls
- 20Kva UPS (3phase) - N3,700,000.00 for Adetiloye lift
- Sound System Overhaul (Mixer, Amp etc) N1.8m
- 400 Plastic Chairs for the Halls
- 80 Plastic Tables for the Halls
- Desktop Computer System
- Sharp Copier Machine (AR7024B) N600,000

18. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

- i. Christian Mothers Prayer Meeting comes up on Monday, 29th August, 2022 at 5.00pm. Topic: **My accusers shall wait in vain – Proverbs 1:17-18.** Speaker: **Chaplain.**
- ii. All women prayer meeting {Cathedral Deanery} Every 1st Thursday of the Month. Venue: The AVMCC Main Sanctuary. Time: 5.00pm-6.00pm.
- iii. Bible Study for Christian Mothers - Every 1st Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iv. Fasting & Prayer for Christian Mothers - Every last Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- v. All Sunday School Children from ages 5years upward meeting every last Sunday between 7.00am – 9.00am
- vi. **Adult Education Programme:** This course is for young and old every Monday & Wednesday by 3.30pm at the Vining Hall.

19. INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS

A. OBITUARIES

- i. We announce the passing into glory of our Father, Bro. Sylvester Ugo Obodozie (former President of Lord's Labourers Fellowship). Burial arrangements will be announced later.
- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Engr. (Sir) Obi Maduakonam Anadu. Aged:73years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Funeral Service: On Thursday, 1st Sept. 2022 at St. Philips (Ang) Church, Okofia, Otolu, Nnewi, Anambra by 10.00am.
Outing Service: On Sunday, 4th September, 2022 at St. Philips Anglican Church, Okofia, Otolu, Nnewi, Anambra State by 9.00am.
- iii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Mary Oriaku Elezie (Mother of Ven. Chuks Elezie). Aged: 78 years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Service of Songs: On Thursday, 1st September, 2022 at Umuogo Ubakala, Umuahia, Abia State by 4.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Friday, 2nd September, 2022 at Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Ubakala Umuahia by 10.00am.
- iv. We announce the passing into glory of our Father, Chief Shadrack Olubunmi Ogunbe of Torchbearers Society. Aged: 84 years. Burial arrangements are as follows.
Service of Songs: On Wednesday, 28th Sept, 2022 at Vining Hall by 4.00pm.
Commendation Service: On Thursday, 29th Sept, 2022 at AVMCC, Ikeja by 9.00am.
Wake-Keep Service: On Thursday, 29th Sept, 2022 at Ilupeju Quarters, off Iju-Odo/Igbotako Road, Ilu Tuntun, Ondo State.
Funeral Service: On Friday, 30th September, 2022 at Ebenezer Anglican Church, Ilu Tuntun, Ondo by 9.00am.

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3. LET THERE BE PEACE (ADAPTED)

Let there be PEACE shared among us
Let there be Peace in our hearts
May NOW your Peace sweep this church
Cause us O Lord to Arise
Give us a fresh understanding
Of Brotherly Peace that is Real
Let there be Peace shared among us
Let there be Peace.

4. PRAYER POINTS FOR TODAY – SUNDAY, 28th AUGUST, 2022

A. Prayers for the Anglican Communion and for Christian Denominations and Organizations

- i. Pray for Henry Ndukuba our Primate, Humphrey Olumakaiye, Our Archbishop and Olusola our Bishop.
- ii. For the Rt. Rev. Chijioke Oti, his family and all members of the Diocese on the Lake.

B. Prayer for Nigeria & the World

- i. *Pray that the Lord of Host in His mercies will on account of His elects and remnants in Nigeria frustrate every raging from the pit of hell and all evil counsels, gang-ups and schemes in form of Boko Haram, Herdsmen and Islamnization agenda so that Christianity in Nigeria will never go the way of TURKEY nor NORTH AFRICA in Jesus Name. Amen.*

B. Prayers for Nigeria & the World

- i. That Nigeria and the world be delivered from satanic rule.
- ii. That the people of Nigeria be genuinely converted and reconciled back to the Almighty God.
- iii. That the spirit of reconciliation be prevalent among our leaders.

C. Prayers for AVMCC Members

- i. That members be reconciled back to God.
- ii. That the spirit of malice die in this Cathedral.
- iii. That every power causing hatred and strife in church become impotent.
- iv. That the bond of love remains strong in this household of God.

D. Prayers for individual Families within the AVMCC Household

Odeneye Family, Odeniran Family, Odesanmi Family, Odesanya Family, Odesiji Family, Odewale Family, Odey Family, Odeyemi Family, Odia Family, Odiachi Family.

E. Prayers for all our members who are having their Birthdays and/or other Anniversaries today:

- i. For Mrs Ibidun Olufunwa, Mrs Omolabake Obisesan, Mr Henry Asor, Mr Adegoke Adegbite, Miss Glory Iheonunekwu, Mr Chinedu Ajuzieogu, Evang. Adetola Emiade, Mrs Victoria Ibenegbu, Mr Chukwuemeka Iloeje, Mrs Blessing Olikeze, Mrs Linda Ugah, Mrs Nkem Chinwuba, Mrs Ifeyinwa Ezenwankwo, Mr Ifeanyi Asomba and others who are celebrating their birthdays today.

5.

ii. For those having their Wedding Anniversaries or any other positive Anniversaries today.

F. Prayers for the following people: Engr. & Mrs. Odedairo, Mrs. Beatrice Akinola, Mrs. David-West, Mrs M.O. Ilori, Mrs Lydia Metu, Mrs M.M. Aruofor, Mrs Roseline Anyadikwa, Mr Samuel Chukwudum.

G. Prayers For: The barren, the pregnant, spinsters, bachelors, the jobless and the homeless among us that God will open a book of remembrance covering them all and help them speedily to the shame of the devil, removing their reproaches.

**5. THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK
SUNDAY, 28TH AUGUST, 2022**

THEME: WE ARE CHRIST’S AMBASSADORS

TEXT: PSALM 119:113-128; ISAIAH 49:1-6;

II CORINTHIANS 5:14-6:2; JOHN 17:20-26

It is the Lord’s doing that we all are alive today and in the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ we welcome you to this worship service this Sunday. It is another wonderful privilege to partake in His abundant blessing again today. May the power that raised Jesus from the dead work wonders in our lives in Jesus name.

Our focus this week in the Liturgy is on the topic: **“We are Christ’s Ambassadors”**.

In Acts 1:8 Jesus said to His disciples, *“But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”*

A “witness” is someone who attests to a fact, so in order to be an effective witness for Christ, one must have firsthand knowledge of Him. John the Apostle speaks of this in 1 John 1:1-3, when he says, “That . . . which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked at, and our hands have touched—this we proclaim concerning the Word of Life.” Today, we who have experienced new life in Christ give an account of His love and forgiveness, both verbally and in the way we live our lives, hence, we are ambassadors of Christ (2Cor.2:20). This is witnessing.

The church is called to proclaim and to be a sign of the kingdom of God. Christ has commissioned the church to be His witnesses, making disciples of all nations, baptizing them, and teaching them to observe all things he has commanded (Matt. 28:18-19).

19. BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

Avail yourself of this plan. Read the BIBLE in one year and be blessed – **Rev. 1:3**

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| 1. August | 28 th | Sunday | - | Psalm 67-69 |
| 2. August | 29 th | Monday | - | Psalm 70-72 |
| 3. August | 30 th | Tuesday | - | Psalm 73-75 |
| 4. August | 31 st | Wednesday | - | Psalm 76-78 |
| 5. Sept. | 1 st | Thursday | - | Psalm 79-81 |
| 6. Sept. | 2 nd | Friday | - | Psalm 82-84 |
| 7. Sept. | 3 rd | Saturday | - | Psalm 85-87 |

JUSTIFICATION FOR SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

The desirability of society membership is traceable to the Godly advice of Jethro to Moses his son in law as he administered the huge population of the Israelites in the wilderness.

“MOREOVER THOU SHALL PROVIDE OUT ALL THE PEOPLE ABLE MEN, SUCH AS FEAR GOD, MEN OF TRUTH, HATING COVETOUSNESS AND PLACE SUCH OVER THEM, TO BE RULERS OF THOUSANDS AND RULERS OF HUNDREDS, RULERS OF FIFTIES AND RULERS OF TENS” EXOD. 18:21.

Beloved to the glory of God AVMCC is a fairly large congregation and as the Israel of God today Gal. 6:16 we must follow the Bible standard as expatriated fully in Exodus 18:17-27 for the following reasons:

1. It is good to be in society vs. 17.
2. The blessings of joining a society far outweighs the burden if any.
3. The burden if any is light because it is of Christ and not of man – Matt. 11:28-30.
4. The Priests will not wear out in attending to large congregation as it is not possible to know everybody vs 18.
5. The people will not wear out as their matter receive the attention of sectional leaders with a referral of major matters to appropriate quarters vs 18.
6. It is a Godly counsel to be a member of a society vs 19.
7. It is an avenue to learn more of the ordinances of God and His laws vs 20.
8. It affords the opportunities of knowing the way of God better as seminars retreats, visitations, fellowships, fasting praying are arranged vs 20.
9. It points us to the work which we have to do vs 20.
10. It enables the Priest to focus more on Prayer and the word of God which of course is their major assignment Acts 6:4.
11. It allows the church to maximize the potentials of spiritual gifts and explore talents of members using also their professional expertise to enhance the standard of the Church vs 21.
12. It allows for matters to receive urgent and timely attention vs 22.
13. It makes the work in the house of God to be EASY and not become a BURDEN vs 22.
14. It allows for all to ENDURE vs 23.
15. It allows for a more PEACEFUL co-existence vs 23.

NB: SHEEP DO NOT WALK ALONE THEY FLOCK TOGETHER. DO NOT BE AN ISOLATIONIST.

15. DIOCESE OF LAGOS WEST

AVMCC DELIVERANCE & HEALING UNIT (DHU) PROGRAMMES

- i. Every 3rd Friday of each month – Church Deliverance and Healing Service - (6.00pm -8.00pm)
- ii. Every Thursday is Prayers, Deliverance and Counselling day for members – 6.00pm – 8.00pm
- iii. Every Tuesday & Wednesday evening, Counselling and Prayers.
- iv. Every Sunday after 10.00am – Prayers, Deliverance and Counseling.
- v. 4th Friday of every month with 5 – Fridays DHU Vigil.

For Prayers, Deliverance and Counselling please call/text: 0806-2766051, 0802-3149601, 0803-003906

50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CATHEDRAL CHOIR
PLEASE BE INFORMED THAT ALL DONATIONS TOWARDS THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CATHEDRAL CHOIR SHOULD BE IN THE NAME OF “ARCHBISHOP VINING MEMORIAL CHURCH CATHEDRAL”. THANK YOU.

16. GUILD OF STEWARDS

The Guild of Stewards requested for vibrant and dedicated new members to join the ministry. Interested persons to contact: **Mr Okechukwu Okeke on 08033438490.**

17. 2022 INTERSOCIETY BIBLE QUIZ COMPETITION

Books to Study: (1) Ezekiel (2) Luke (3) Anglicanism (4) History of AVMCC (5) Bible Study January – June.

===== **MINISTERING TO THE TEENAGE GROUP IN AVMCC**

WHO AM I?

My choices, life, my end
God’s view of me and the world’s view in
Who am I In Christ?
It is ‘woke’ to be a Christian: the godly teenager
(To be handled by Sis Awokoya and Sis. Kupoluyi)

RELATIONSHIPS

Parents, Siblings, friends, peers, mentors- interactive skills
Peers- groups (cults, drugs, alcohol); handling the pressures
To be handled by Sis (Ronke and Bro. Efe)

SEXUALITY

My Person (body soul and spirit). Freedom, Self-Esteem
What God planned and desires- responsibility, kingdom culture
Teenage body challenges- health, wealth, strength
Managing and dealing with challenges; no compromise.
(Sis Cynthia and Sis Awokoya.)

LIFE’S BASICS & ETIQUETTE

Greetings, table manners
Punctuality, integrity, humility
Work attitude, financial prudence (the ant)
(Mummy Kupoluyi and Sis. Ronke)

TALENTS GIFTS AND CAREER

Identifying your natural and spiritual gifts
Setting life goals and objectives: choosing career & making a difference
Developing talents through skills and vocation
Personal effectiveness and time management
(Sis Ebele and bro Dapo)

In His mission of preaching, teaching, and healing, Jesus announced, "The kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news." After his death and resurrection, Jesus commissioned his disciples, saying, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you. . . . Receive the Holy Spirit." Empowered by that Spirit, we continue Jesus' ministry of gathering the new people of God, who acknowledge Christ as Lord and Savior.

The church is called to witness to the reign of Christ by embodying Jesus' way in its own life and patterning itself after the reign of God. Thus it shows the world a sample of life under the lordship of Christ. By its life, the church is to be a city on a hill, a light to the nations, testifying to the power of the resurrection by a way of life different from the societies around it.

The church is also to give witness by proclaiming the reign of God in word and deed. The church is to seek the lost, call for repentance, announce salvation from sin, proclaim the gospel of peace, set free the oppressed, pray for righteousness and justice, serve as Jesus did, and without coercion urge all people to become part of the people of God. (Lk 4:18-19) The church is called to be a channel of God's healing, which may include anointing with oil. Even at the risk of suffering and death, the love of Christ compels faithful witnesses to testify for their Savior. (2Cor.5:14)

Such witness is a response to Jesus' call to make disciples (Mt.28:18-19). As they are welcomed and incorporated into the church, new Christians learn to participate in the church's worship, in its fellowship, education, mutual aid, decision making, service, and continuing mission. New believers also help the church to learn new dimensions of its mission.

God calls the church to direct its mission to people from all nations and ethnic backgrounds. Jesus commissioned his disciples to be his witnesses in "Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." The apostle Paul preached to the Gentile nations. The church today is also called to witness to people of every culture, ethnicity, or nationality. The mission of the church does not require the protection of any nation or empire. Christians are strangers and aliens within all cultures. Yet the church itself is God's nation, encompassing people who have come from every tribe and nation. Indeed, its mission is to reconcile differing groups, creating one new humanity and providing a preview of that day when all the nations shall stream to the mountain of the Lord and be at peace. (2Cor.5:18-20)

The purpose of any church is to proclaim the Gospel and make disciples. This involves learning about God in worship and Bible study. We build up our knowledge of God's words and ways, so that we will be confident about what Christ is saying and doing in the local community. We then find practical ways of applying what we learn, so that we can be effective witnesses who care about the critical needs of others. Every community has its different groups of people in need, which is why there are so many different churches in the world. Churches don't exist to peddle a competitive Christianity. They are alive in order to augment, embrace, and support the constant work of the Holy Spirit, both at home and abroad. We are all called together to be Christ's witnesses to our people thereby fulfilling the ministry of reconciliation committed to our charge. (2Cor.5:18-20)

To be effective in our witness, we should remember these basic things:

1) THE THEME OF OUR WITNESS IS JESUS CHRIST. Paul defined the gospel as the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ (1 Corinthians 15:1-4). If we are not explaining the sacrifice of Christ, then we are not really sharing the gospel. (1 Corinthians 2:2 and Romans 10:9-10.) An important part of this theme is the fact that Jesus Christ is the only way to salvation, not just one of many ways. "I am the way, the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me" (John 14:6) and that only in His can man be reconciled back to God. (2Cor.2:19)

2) THE POWER OF OUR WITNESS IS THE HOLY SPIRIT. It is the Spirit who transforms a life (Titus 3:5), and a transformed life is evident to all. As we witness, we should spend much time in prayer, appropriating the Spirit's power so that we are enabled to let our light shine in such a way that others will recognize the power of God in us (Matthew 5:16).

3) THE QUALITY AND EFFECTIVENESS OF OUR WITNESS WILL BE SHOWN IN HOW WE LIVE OUR LIVES. Philippians 2:15 sets this goal for us: "That ye may be blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without rebuke, in the midst of a crooked and perverse nation, among whom ye shine as lights in the world." The effective Christian witness will live his/her life above reproach in the power of the Holy Spirit, whose fruit we exhibit when we remain in Christ (John 15:1-8; Galatians 5:22-23).

C. Cathedral Youth Chapel Regular Weekly Programmes

- i. Strictly Feminine - Every 3rd Saturday of the month.
- ii. Just 4 Guys – Every 3rd Saturday of the month at 3.00p.m
- iii. Youth Fellowship every Saturday by 3.00pm.

Sunday: 7.00am. & 10.00am. Services

Venue: Youth Chapel (2nd Floor, Adetiloye House)

Strictly Feminine – Co-ord –Sola Aladesawe - 08135431392.

Just 4 Guys Co-ord. – Okechukwu Ofoegbu - 08064463886

D. Elderly Ministry

All Senior Citizens are welcome every first Tuesday of the month from 11.00 am to 1.00pm.

- i. Medical Check-up in the Clinic; Spiritual Talks; Games /Exercises and Handicrafts in the Vining Hall.
- ii. Please send names of sick and shut-in Elders to the Coordinator Elderly Ministry or the Cathedral office for visitation.

iii. **2021 Bible Quiz Book – (1) Ruth (11) The Catechism**

E. Evangelical Ministry

i. Monthly Meeting

(a) 1st & 3rd Monday of the Month at 1st Floor, Vining House by 6.00pm.

(b) 2nd Saturday has been shifted to 3rd Saturday.

ii. Home Fellowships:

All Parishioners and their friends are encouraged to attend a Home Fellowship of their Choice and convenience near their homes or work places. Please check the list of Home Fellowship Centres.

iii. Visitation:

Do you know any Parishioner who needs to be visited by the Church? Please send the name and address to the Evangelical Ministry, the Intercessors or the Dean for a follow-up.

F. Prisons & Hospital Ministry

(a) Hospital Visitation every 3rd and last Sundays of the month. (b) Prison visitation every 2nd Thursday of the month (c) Meeting comes up every 2nd Sunday of the month after 10.00a.m Service at the Church gallery. For more information, call **(08033136370 and 08036695837)**.

G. Intercessory Ministry

This Group meets for prayers every Tuesday from 5p.m to 6pm. They visit the sick and all those needing spiritual support and prayers etc after 7.00a.m Midweek Communion service every Wednesday. Please avail yourself of the services of this group as and when required.

H. Men & Women of Grace Fellowship

1. Are you a widower or a widow?
2. Are you aware of the existence of above fellowship for widowers and widows?
3. If yes to no. 1, Are you a registered member of the fellowship?
4. Kindly pick and complete a registration form to register or update your data.

Identify with one and other via care, love and support by fellowshiping of God's grace every last Thursday of the month at 11.00am.

For the fellowship's objectives, registration form and other information, visit the church office or call 08023125243.

C. Vining Bookshop

Kindly patronize the Bookshop at Adetiloye House, which opens at 9.00am-5.00pm Tuesday to Friday, 10.00am-4.00pm on Saturdays and 9.30am-2.00pm on Sundays.

D. AVMCC Guest House

Stay within a Christian environment, also visit the restaurant for tasty and affordable meals all located at the 3rd Floor of Vining house within the Church complex. Laundry services are also available. Contact us on 09158070000 and 09158060000.

E. Admission to Anglican Girl's College, Ketu-Ijanikin

The form for the school is out at the rate of N5,000.00. Payment should be made into Wema Bank Account No.0120980406. Account Name: Anglican Girl's College, Ketu-Ijanikin. Forms can be obtained from the Cathedral Office, please fill and submit to the school.

E. Lagos Anglican Dioceses Bible College, Lagos

Admission is on going into LABICO for year 2022 Advanced Diploma and Certificate Courses at LABICO Headquarters, 17 Broad Street, Lagos. For details call: 08033083851

G. Admission to Igbobi College, Yaba,

The forms for the above schools are out at the rate of **₦10,000**. Payment should be made into **Union Bank Acct NO 0004513499**. Account Name: Igbobi College. Kindly collect the form at the Igbobi College, Admission office, Yaba or download form from the college website www.igbobicollegeyaba.com.

H. Admission to Lagos Anglican Schools,

- Anglican Comp. High School, College Road, Ipaja,
- Anglican Girls Grammar School, Surulere,
- CMS Grammar School, Bariga
- Bishop Howells Memorial Grammar School, Bariga
- Lagos Anglican Nursery & Primary School, Bariga.

The forms for the above schools are out at the rate of **₦12,000**. Payment should be made into **Union Bank Acct NO 0002516850**. Account Name: Lagos Anglican Schools Management Board and Collect the form at the Cathedral Office and submit to the school of your choice.

14. MINISTRIES & FELLOWSHIPS

A. Children's Ministry

Parents are requested to send their children to the Sunday School with Bibles, Note Books & Biro. Please instruct your children to remain in the Sunday School and not wander about looking for things to buy. Children are better and safer in the Sunday School.

Perhaps most importantly, we must be familiar enough with the Scriptures to be able to accurately and coherently present the gospel to others. "Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have" (1 Peter 3:15). Always being prepared means diligent Bible study, memorizing Scripture, and praying for God-given opportunities to share with those whose hearts have been prepared by the Lord to hear His message of salvation.

As Christians, we are meant to be Christ's witnesses to other people. We are called by God to mainly serve Jesus in our local communities, so that others may be attracted to Christ. In churches, congregations, and house groups around the world, Christians are constantly developing programs to go out into the world around them, bringing their neighbors the good news of salvation, and compassionately supporting them in times of trouble, distress, and suffering.

Beloved in Christ, we have this mission and mandate from Christ to be His witness in this world in words and action with the view of bringing others into discipleship under His lordship. What specific role are you playing in ensuring the effectiveness of the Church's witness in this end time. Your testimony as a witness of Christ to His truth is vital but much more is becoming a public incarnation of this truth to the world beginning from your 'Jerusalem'.

Witnessing will stimulate your spiritual growth, lead you to pray and study God's Word, and encourage you to depend on Christ. You will experience the tremendous privilege and honor of representing Jesus to the world (2 Corinthians 5:20). God bless you as you go on witnessing in the power of the Holy Spirit in Jesus name. Amen.

CALLING YOUNG FAMILIES !!!

The final thanksgiving for **THE YOUNG FAMILIES AND FAMILIES - TO BE**, comes up on 18th September, 2022 at both the 7am and 10am services.

YOUNG FAMILIES IN THE ADULT AND YOUTH CHAPEL should please forward their names to any of the Wardens, or Mrs Nike Sodipo (Harvest Chairman) 08023024444; Mrs Famade 0803 310 9378 (at the office) or Mrs. Modupe kolawole-09094558182
Kindly note that **PARENTS CAN PUT FORWARD THEIR CHILDREN 'S NAMES AND STAND IN** for them during thanks giving.

May the Lord accept your offerings and keep you alive for greater thanksgiving in Jesus name.

7. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

August 21 – August 27

7.00 am Holy Communion	694
7.00 am Youth Service	148
7.00 am Sunday School	359
10.00 am Mattins	651
10.00 am Youth Service	204
10.00 am Sunday School	211
Tuesday Bible Study	167
Wednesday Holy Communion	143
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	112

8. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

The following Societies will meet immediately in the Church

 *Band of Faith*

 *Ladies Christian League*

 *Christian Friends Society*

 *Lords Labourers Fellowship*

* **Osun State Indigenes meeting comes up today after Mattins in the church.**

9. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 28th August, 2022

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. M. Akinlemibola, Dr. Babatunde Ibadapo-Obe, Pharm. Deji Osinoiki, Pharm. Yomi Osinoiki, Mrs Nkiru Arah.

10.00am-2.00pm: Prof. I. Akinsete, Dr. Remi Oladapo-Sanu, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Pharm. Y. Olorunsola, Mrs Bola Awobiyi.

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday 4th Sept, 2022

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. Babatunde Ibadapo-Obe, Dr. M. Akinlemibola, Pharm. Chie Nwerri, Mrs Nkiru Arah, Mrs A. Amah-Jerry.

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Mrs Irene Okwerekwu, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Sis. Nike Adefila, Dr. Arinze Onubogu.

B. Security & Traffic Control

i. Sunday 28th Aug. - Saturday, 3rd Sept., 2022

Omotola Onakoya, (**Captain**), Goke Uthman; (**Assistant Captain**), Ogunleye Adeboboye, Adeyemi Muyiwa, Segun Adeniji, Dare Sigbeku, Chioma Obi, Juliet Chimezie, Akinniran O. Temidayo, Rita Osibodu, Olusegun Esan, Michael Enujioke, Nwaorgu Chinedu, Okedurum Andrew, Gbenga Ojo.

ii. Sunday 4th Sept. - Saturday, 10th Sept, 2022

Funso Fagbuyiro, (**Captain**), Helen Arhagba (**Assistant Captain**), Adeyemi Muyiwa, Goke Uthman, Juliet Chimezie, Helen Arhagba, Caroline Omowhara, Kene Obimma, Chukwuemeka Osaka, Bolaji Dania, Funmi Ladele, Ekwegh Lilian, Michael Enujioke, Olusegun Esan, Jemerigbe Helen I, Odibo Fanny Efe, Odanye Mojisola.

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11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

TRINITY XII

September 4

Theme: **DOING EXPLOITS FOR GOD**

Colour: **Green**

7.00 am: **HOLY COMMUNION**

Celebrant: *The Dean*

Epistle: *Romans 8:26-30*

Layreader Uzor Ejikeme

Gospel: *Matthew 10:16-22*

Postulant Damilare Ayenuyo

Address: *The Dean*

THE YOUTH SERVICE

Venue: *The Adetiloye House*

Celebrant: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

10.00am: **HOLY COMMUNION**

SOCIAL WELFARE ANNIVERSARY

Celebrant: *The Dean*

Epistle: *Romans 8:26-30*

Social Welfare Ministry

Gospel: *Matthew 10:16-22*

The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi

Address: *The Dean*

4.00pm: **DLW CHORAL COMPETITION**

12. BANNES OF MARRIAGE

We publish the Banns of Marriage between the persons under-listed: If anyone knows any just cause in law why the persons listed may not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, he should declare it immediately.

3RD NOTICE:

1. *Mr Mark Oiseoghaede & Miss Victoria Namabiri*

1ST NOTICE:

1. *Mr Samuel Ikoku of Archbishop Vining Memorial Church Cathedral, Ikeja & Miss Grace Bernard of St. Anthony Catholic Church, Gbessa, Abuja.*

2. *Lt. Chikezie Okagbue & Miss Favour Osuchukwu*

3. *Mr Tunde Adebayo & Miss Abisola Afuye*

13. NOTICES

A. Visitors and New Comers

We welcome Visitors and New Comers to Archbishop Vining Memorial Church Cathedral, Ikeja. We pray that the joy of the Lord will be yours today and always. You are requested to please move to the Lady's Chapel after the service where our Evangelical Team is waiting to attend to you.

B. Library:

The Cathedral Library opens daily:

Monday – Friday - 8.00am to 5.00pm

Closed on Saturday & Sunday.

We request everyone to make use of this opportunity.

15.

Friday, Sept 2, 2022 **Colour: Green**

7.00am **Holy Communion**

Theme: **The weakness of the flesh**

Celebrant: *The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu*

Epistle: *Romans 7:1-25 – Lay. E. Randle*

Gospel: *John 9:18-41*

Hymns: *CONH 15, CONH 834, CONH 615*

Preacher: *The Rev. Yinka Akinpelu*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Daniel Olinya, his family and all members of the Diocese of Eha-Amufu.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Emmanuel Nyitsse, his family and all members of the Diocese of Gboko.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin, Engr. Ejikeme Uzor, Mrs Mayowa Ewenla, Mr Kelvin Anionwu, Miss Nnennaya Nwosu-Igbo, Miss Nifemi Fawehinmi, Mr Joseph Obla, Mrs Amoge Okponya, Mr Maxwell Okunromade, Mrs Elizabeth Shotolu, Mr Ogbonnaya Atulomah, Mrs Faith Wogu, Mr Enyinna Nwobia, Miss Precious Nwabuike.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ofoelu Family, Ofong Family, Ofulue Family, Ofuokwu Family, Ogah Family, Ogala Family, Ogazuma-Jacobs Family, Ogbebor Family, Ogbechie Family, Ogbewe Family.

6.00pm **EFAC Meeting**

6.30pm **Choir Practice**

Saturday, Sept. 3, 2022 **Colour: Green**

7.00am **Holy Communion**

Theme: **Justified and set free**

Celebrant: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Epistle: *Romans 8:1-17 – Lay. Y. Agbaniyaka*

Gospel: *John 10:1-18*

Hymns: *CONH 2, CONH 602, CONH 488*

Preacher: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Festus Davies, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ogori-Magongo.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Yusuf Ishaya Janfalan, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ikara.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Dr. (Mrs) Irene Omogbehin, Mrs Belinda Odeneye, Mr Afamdi Madueke, Mr Chukwudi Illloh, Mr Feyisayo Oshunleti, Mr Temitope Faloyin.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ogbogu Family, Ogboh Family, Ogbolu Family, Ogbonna Family, Ogbonnaya Family, Ogbu Family, Ogbuchukwu Family, Ogbugh Family, Ogbuka Family, Ogbuzo Family.

10.00am **20th Remembrance Service for Late Mr Joseph Adesida at his residence**

11.30am **Wedding**
Mr Chinonso Okeke & Miss Chiemelie Akah

3.00pm **Youth Fellowship**

4.00pm **Boys & Girls Brigade**

4.00pm **Baptism**

QUOTABLE QUOTES

1. When you get to the top, you become a TOPIC-
Bishop Odedeji
2. If we are not our brother's keeper, we will be our brother's killer - **Bishop Odedeji**
3. If God is backing you, No one can put your back on the ground - **Bishop Odedeji**
4. Marriage is not for Great lovers but Great forgivers – **Bishop Odedeji**
5. If God is in control, nothing can go out of control— **Bishop Odedeji**
6. God can do without you, but it is you that cannot do without God- **Bishop Odedeji**
7. When you are ***WRONG***, you cannot be ***STRONG*** - **Bishop Agara**
8. If you don't know ***STRATEGY***, you will end up in ***TRAGEDY*** - **Bishop Agara**
9. When there is no ***contact***, there can never be ***contract*** -- **Ven Adewole Ebenezer**
10. If you cannot say ***NO***, you cannot be ***Known*** - **Bishop Odedeji**
11. Bad ***Character*** is like a flat tyre, if you don't change it, you can't go far - **Bishop Odedeji**
12. When you stop Praying, you start ***Decaying*** - **Bishop Odedeji**
13. God does the best for those, who leave the ***Choice*** to Him - **Bishop Odedeji.**
14. Until you know whom your sender is, your service is ***Worthless*** - **Bishop Odedeji**
15. When God uses a man He rewards him with ***eternal blessings*** but when the devil uses a man, he dumps him in ***ocean of Regrets*** - **Bishop Odedeji**
16. People do only what you will ***INSPECT*** and not what you ***EXPECT*** - **Bishop Odedeji**
17. When a man loses money, nothing is lost but when he loses ***INTEGRITY*** everything is lost. – **Bishop Odedeji**
18. If you are too big to ***follow***, you will be too small to ***lead*** - **Bishop Odedeji**
19. The room for ***IMPROVEMENT*** is the largest room in the world. - **Bishop Odedeji**

HYMN FOR DOXOLOGY - (CONH 491)

1. Let Your blessings, Lord, attend us,
As we go out of this place,
And abiding in Your presence
Basking in Your joy and grace.
2. Let us in Your sight find favour
In all on which our hands lay
Make Your face Lord shine upon us
As You lead us on our way.
3. May Your heavenly peace surround us
Turn our darkness into light,
Give us strength, now and forever
So, to live within Your might.
4. God, our compassionate Father,
Look upon us with mercy
Let Your Name receive our praises
Now and for eternity. Amen.

10. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, August 29, 2022 Colour: Green

6.00am Ember Season Revival

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: The Principles of good living

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

Epistle: *Proverbs 3:27-4:9 - Lay. F. Okey-Ogbu*

Gospel: *John 8:21-30*

Hymns: *CONH 126, CONH 619, CONH 458*

Preacher: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Chidi Oparaojiaku, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ohaji/Egbema.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Akintunde Popoola, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ibadan South.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Joel Nwokedi, Chief Idikaonye Chukwuka, Miss Chinasa Eze, Mr David Shola, Miss Chizo Ihezue, Miss Folasade Fatoba, Mrs Ebere Ifeanyi-Uchefuna, Mr Emeka Nwokedi, Miss Kamsi Ifeanyi-Uchefuna, Miss Boma Nsirimobi, Mrs Roseline Olatunji, Mr Adewale Olawoyin.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Odiagbe Family, Odiari Family, Odiase Family, Odigie Family, Odimegwu Family, Odimuko Family, Odita-Sunday Family, Odoh Family, Odonghanro Family, Odu Family.
- ❖ **70th birthday of Mrs Roseline Olatunji & God's numerous blessings.**

12.00noon Social Welfare Ministry

6.30pm. Choir Practice

Tuesday, August 30, 2022 Colour: Green

6.00am Ember Season Revival

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Wisdom enriches more than gold

Celebrant: *The Rev. Yinka Akinpelu*

Epistle: *Proverbs 8:1-21 - Lay. G. Okeke*

Gospel: *John 8:33-47*

Hymns: *CONH 118, CONH 503, CONH 1242*

Preacher: *The Rev. Canon Dr. B. Okere*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Geoffrey Chukwunenye, his family and all members of the Diocese of Oru.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Chijoke Augustine Aneke, his family and all members of Diocese of Udi.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Oluwatayo Shopeju, Engr. Eniola Osibaji, Mrs Omobolanle Sodeinde-Milano, Mrs Victoria Okezie, Mrs Rita Osibodu, Mrs Theresa Ojuri, Mrs Adewunmi Alawode.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Oduba Family, Oduyungbo Family, Odude Family, Odukomaiya Family, Odukoya Family, Odukwe Family, Odukwu Family, Odumodu Family, Odumosu Family, Oduneye Family.

5.00pm - 6.00pm Intercessory Prayer

6.00 pm BIBLE STUDY

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Wednesday, August 31, 2022 Colour: Green

6.00am Ember Season Revival

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Wisdom: The giver of life

Celebrant: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

Epistle: *Proverbs 8:22-36 - Lay. T. Faloyin*

Gospel: *John 8:22-36*

Hymns: *CONH 30, CONH 867, CONH 627, CONH 120*

Preacher: *The Dean*

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Ephraim Ikeakor, his family and all members of the Diocese of Amichi.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Samuel Egbeunmi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ilesa South West.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Eniola Adeyemo, Mrs Ginikachukwu Opara, Mr Emmanuel Azike, Mr Stephen Aladesawe, Mrs Busayo Iborida, Mr Francis Ogbuka, Mr Fred Osuji, Miss Grace Osedein, Miss Sandra Oyira, Engr. Nathaniel Ezeobi, Dr. (Mrs) Blessing Chukwukelu, Mr Olatunji Seymour, Mr Oluwafolabomi Oguntoyinbo.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Odunfa Family, Oduniyi Family, Odunlami Family, Oduntan Family, Odunubi Family, Odunuga Family, Oduola Family, Odupaye Family, Odutayo Family, Odutola Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

6.00pm PRAYER MEETING

THEME: THOU ART MY SHIELD –
PSALM 84:11, 91:4

Thursday, September 1, 2022 Colour: Green

6.00am Hour of Blessings & Ember Season Revival

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Whose Servant are you?

Celebrant: *The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi*

Epistle: *Romans 6:15-23 - Lay. Ada Ejikeme*

Gospel: *John 9:1-17*

Hymns: *CONH 16, CONH 65, CONH 877*

Preacher: *Postulant Damilare Ayenuyo*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Edward Osuegbu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Okigwe.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Blessing Erifeta, his family and all members of the Diocese of Sapele.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Damilola Ajayi, Ms Amaka Chukwuemeka, Mr Izundu Iwuala, Mr Best Nwosu, Mr Samuel Osa-Iyoha, Mr Philips Tetede, Mr Emmanuel Udeh, Mr Obinna Molobe, Mr John Nwachukwu, Dr. Samuel Sowunmi, Mrs Precious Emechebe, Mrs Eunice Odunubi, Miss Ifeoma Okeke, Miss Ponle Adesoye.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Oduware Family, Oduyemi Family, Offor Family, Offorah Family, Offukansi Family, Ofili Family, Ofodile Family, Ofodule Family, Ofoegbu Family, Ofoeke Family.

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